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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Applicant:

Carlos F. VONDERWALDE, et al

Serial No.: 09/522,336

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For: Stent With Cover Connectors

Examiner: Uyen T. Ho

Commissioner for Patents
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Docket: 28777
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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Sir:

- (1) This is a petition for an extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed June 30, 2004, for a period of two months.
- (2) Applicant is a:
 X small entity
 other than small entity
- (3)
- | Extension | Fee for small entity
<u>small entity</u> | Fee for other than
<u>small entity</u> |
|----------------------------|---|---|
| <u> </u> one month | \$ 55 | \$ 110 |
| <u> X </u> two months | \$ 215 | \$ 430 |
| <u> </u> three months | \$ 490 | \$ 980 |
| <u> </u> four months | \$ 765 | \$ 1530 |
| <u> </u> five months | \$1040 | \$ 2080 |
- (4) An amendment X is filed herewith
 has been filed

(5) Authorization to charge the above extension fee of **\$215** to the Credit Card number listed on the attached Credit Card Payment Form **PTO-2038** is attached herewith. In the event additional fees are required, please charge these additional fees to Deposit Account 50-1407. In the unlikely event payment by the Credit Card issuer is refused, please charge the extension fee of **\$215** to Deposit Account 50-1407.

Respectfully submitted,

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